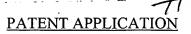
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NAOKI TSUCHITOI Application No.: 10/023,747		<ul><li>Examiner: Not Yet Assigned</li><li>Group Art Unit: 2152</li></ul>	
For:	INFORMATION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM, DEVICE CONTROL	) ;	APR 2 3 2002
	APPARATUS, INFORMATION MANAGEMENT METHOD, AND MEMORY MEDIUM STORING	) : )	Technology Center 2100
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In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the following U.S. applications

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	GROUP ART UNIT
10/081,839	February 25, 2002	2152
09/324,512	June 3, 1999	. 2783

A copy of each cited U.S. application, as originally filed, is enclosed.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner.

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